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First named inventor: Holgar Rücker

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Title: Bipolar transistor with raised base connection region
and process for the production thereof

Group Art Unit: To be assigned

Examiner: To be assigned

PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT VIA SUBSTITUTE SPECIFICATION

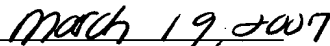
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Sir:

Please preliminarily amend the above-referenced
application per the substitute specification enclosed
herewith, which is provided under 37 CFR 1.125(b).

I hereby certify that the foregoing and all papers referred to
herein as being attached are being deposited on the date below
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